

We place on sale this morning 300 Lamps for \$1.00. We have decided to clear out the stock of Lamps regardless of the cost, and we offer 300 LAMPS AT \$1.00 EACH. This includes HANGING LAMPS, Decorated Stand Lamps, Nickel-Plated Lamps, and in fact any kind of a Lamp you wish, for the uniform price of \$1.00 EACH. Look at our show windows and come in and examine the stock which consists in addition to the above:

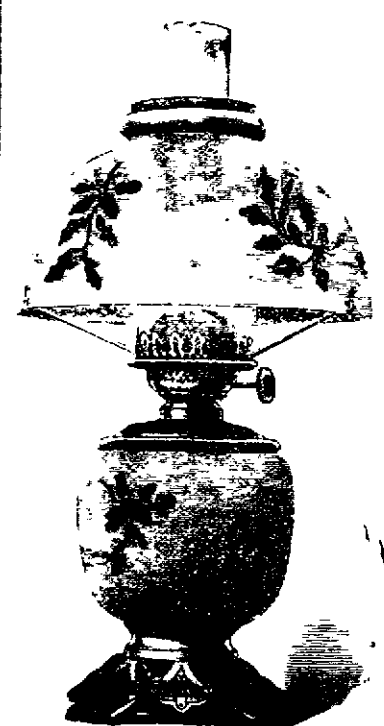
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Library Lamps at \$4.00.
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Library Lamps at \$3.50.
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Library Lamps at \$3.00.
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Library Lamps at \$2.50.
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TO STYLISH DRESSERS.

We take great pleasure in announcing the receipt of our Spring Stock of Piece Goods, and never have the styles been more elegant and dressy, or the qualities excelled. We offer the most complete line of Spring and Summer Novelties ever brought to Decatur. Our stock of Full Dress Fabrics and Staples is up to its usual standard, which means volumes in a few words, as we have always prided ourselves on carrying the most complete and best selected stock of Worsteds in Central Illinois. We promise our best efforts to excel, if possible, the high standard of excellence attained in our Merchant Tailoring Department and a strict adherence to prevailing styles. Not one garment shall leave our hands unless it is perfect in fit, style and workmanship. We are strictly a UNION HOUSE, but are in a position to offer you HIGH GRADE GOODS at living prices. If you want to "be in line" it will pay you to call early and place your orders with us.

SPRING STYLES

STETSON STIFF and SOFT HATS

HAVE ARRIVED.

We are Exclusive Agents for STETSON'S STIFF HATS and carry all the Latest Novelties in their Soft Hats.

Our line of Cheap and Medium Priced Hats cannot be excelled in style and quality.

Being the only HAT JOBBERS in the city we can buy direct from the Factories and thereby save you from 10 to 20 Per Cent on all Hats.

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211 NORTH WATER STREET, DECATUR, ILL.

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ALL PARAGON FRAMES.

At ANSTEAD'S.

Monday Morning, March 5.

500 UMBRELLAS JUST RECEIVED.

Come Quick if You Want them.

69c buys the \$1.00 kind.

79c buys the \$1.25 kind.

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ONE WEEK ONLY

ANSTEAD'S.

THE TARIFF BILL.

The Senate Committee Ready to Report--The Changes.

[SPECIAL TO THE REPUBLICAN]

CHICAGO, March 8.—The Democratic majority of the senate finance committee agreed on the final report. The chief features are as follows. Sugars, testing 80 degrees to pay a duty of one cent a pound. For every additional degree one-hundredth cent more. Iron ore 40 cents a ton. Coal taken from the free list and made dutiable at 40 cents a ton. Lead, which in the Wilson bill is 15 per cent ad valorem, 50 per pound. Raw wool left on free list provision to go in effect August 2. Lumber remains on the free list; barley raised from 25 to 30 per cent, ad valorem; bonded period of whisky extended from 3 to 8 years, but tax raised to \$1.10 a gallon. Cigars to pay internal revenue duty, \$5 per thousand; cigarettes in paper \$1, in tobacco 50 per thousand. Income tax, 2 per cent., remains, but tax on non-residents stricken out.

WILL BE MARRIED TO-NIGHT.

Joe M. Perkins and Miss Mattie Foster to be United in Holy Matrimony.

Joseph M. Perkins and Miss Mattie E. Foster will be united in marriage this evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's brother, Lewis E. Foster, No. 1355 North Main street, Rev. Hall officiating. The wedding will be a very quiet affair, only the relatives and immediate friends to be present. H. H. Perkins, of Elkton, Ky., a brother of the groom, arrived in the city to-day to attend the nuptials.

Both young people are well known and are very popular. The groom is a clerk in the local office of the Standard Oil Company, and has for several years held the position of stenographer for the same company. They will forego a wedding tour, and will at once commence housekeeping at 1335 North Main street.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES.

To Be Held March 18.—Convention March 17.

The Democratic township committee held a meeting last night and decided to hold the township primaries March 16, and the township convention March 17. The committee was unable to fix on the places to hold the primaries in the different precincts and left them to be fixed later on. This makes the Democratic primaries and the Democratic township convention come one day later than the Republican primaries and convention respectively.

Trouble on a Train.

A small riot occurred on the Wabash train out of Quincy yesterday between the male members of the "In Old Kentucky" and "Under the City Lamps" companies, both of which showed at Quincy Tuesday night. They left on the Wabash for Jacksonville and about the time the train reached Camp Point, twenty miles east the fight was started. Revolvers were drawn and a half a dozen shots were fired, but none of them took effect. One of the belligerents was stabbed with a knife and several others were bruised by being hit with sticks of stove-wood. Conductor Vasconcelles tried to quell the riot and in doing so was bruised badly. The two companies have happened to be in the same towns on the same dates several times of late and there is much bad blood between them.

Post One Gold Badges.

Some time ago the Old Post One Association, G. A. R., voted to have made a number of appropriate gold badges to be worn by comrades enjoying the honor and distinction of having been members of old Post One, which was organized at the birth of the order in Decatur, April 6, 1866. The handsome gold badges have been made, and to-day Norman Fringle delivered a number at \$5.00—actual cost. The badge is in the form of a maltese cross with die of the G. A. R. button in the center. The inscription is as follows: "Old Post One, Organized at Decatur, Ill., April 6, 1866." Above is a pretty gold bar with space to have the name of the owner engraved upon it. There are only about 100 old soldiers entitled to wear the badge.

Bishop Warren Loses \$100,000.

The Supreme Court of Colorado yesterday decided that Bishop Warren of the Methodist Episcopal church must pay \$100,000 to Andrew M. Adams. The case dates back over twenty years and contains romance enough to fill a novel. By the decision the Bishop must relinquish title to 160 acres of land on the eastern boundary of Denver or pay for it at \$1,000 an acre. Bishop Warren came into possession upon marrying Mrs. Elfrida, widow of a cattle king. Elfrida claimed the land in payment of loans to Adams.

GONE TO THE JURY.

Judge Tuthill Charges the Jury in the Coughlin Case and it Retires.

[SPECIAL TO THE REPUBLICAN]

CHICAGO, March 8.—At last the end of the trial of Dan Coughlin for the murder of Dr. Cronin, is in sight. This morning Judge Tuthill delivered his charge to the jury, and at 11 o'clock it retired to consider the subject of a verdict.

WILL NOT SELL.

That is What the Harrison Telephone People Say in Chicago.

The Harrison Telephone Company, according to Dr. E. M. Harrison, inventor and electrician of the organization, is preparing to vigorously contest for business in the field left open by the expiration of the Bell patents. A special meeting of directors has been called for Saturday next, when a number of proposals for extensions will be considered.

"As far as I know there is no intention of occupying the field of Chicago at present," said Dr. Harrison in Chicago yesterday. "Meantime we are completing a system at Decatur, Ill., where we have 700 telephones. We are working in Springfield and Bloomington, and operating in Fort Smith, Van Buren and Fayetteville, Ark., St. Joseph, Mo., Elkins, W. Va., and Lebanon, Mo. The policy of the company is to proceed rapidly and establish systems in all cities. We will not sell out to the Bell company or any other interest."

The Harrison company's capital stock is \$80,000,000, of which, it is stated, \$30,000,000 have been issued. Ex-Secretary of War S. B. Elkins is president, and Patrick Egan of Nebraska, treasurer.

RAILWAY MAIL EMPLOYEES.

Representative Wheeler Offers a Bill to Create a Benefit Fund.

Representative Wheeler has introduced a bill to provide a fund for the relief of the injured and disabled employees of the railway mail service of the United States. According to the provisions of the measure, beginning with the commencement of the first fiscal year after the approval of the act and regularly thereafter there shall be withheld from the salary of every person employed in the class R. M. S. by any title or in any capacity whatsoever, except those not paid out of the appropriation for clerk hire, a sum equal to 1 per cent per annum of the amount of his salary as fixed by the postmaster general in pursuance to law, which shall constitute a fund to be known as the "Railway mail service relief fund," and be retained in the treasury or sub-treasury of the United States for the relief of injured and disabled employees of said service.

Well Known in Decatur.

Edward L. Sweeney, who died suddenly at his home in Cheek Row, McDonough county, the first of this week, was well known in Decatur and Mason county. He was agent for a Peoria medicine company and his business kept him in Decatur much of the time while he was introducing their medicines. He was a young man of excellent character, and was a member of Decatur Lodge 364 Good Templars and of Decatur Juvenile Temple. Robert Bivans and wife who was a brother of the deceased attended the funeral.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

World's Fair Highest Award.

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You will find Darkness



Just as soon as you will find such diseases as Fits, St. Vitus Dance, Epilepsy, Sleeplessness and Nervous Prostration thriving where strong, healthy nerves are; and just as darkness is driven out and the air sweetened and purified by the white light of the sun, so

Dr. WHEELER'S NERVE VITALIZER

drives out diseases and puts new life into the nerves which have been preyed upon. This is why Mrs. G. K. Watts of Brandywine, Va., said: "I sleep delightfully and my nerves are wonderfully strengthened—never had anything do my nerves so much good." You don't need this if you are strong, but if weak and nervous, you do.

PRICE \$1.00 A BOTTLE

Inquire of druggists for free sample. If not found, write us enclosing five cents (stamp) for postage. The doctor gives free advice to any nerve disease sufferers. All welcome.

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WASH FABRICS

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UNUSUAL ATTRACTIONS

Wash Goods Department.

English Percales, 36 inches wide, at 10c a yard.
40-inch Irish Lawns at 12½c a yard.
Fancy Seersucker at 6½c a yard worth 10c.
One case of Finest Seersuckers in Factory Remnants at 9c a yard.
Brocade Gingham at 10c a yard.
One case of Fine Zephyr Gingham at 12½c a yard.
Toile du Nord Gingham, all styles manufactured.
Cotton Ducks, in choice colors, at 15c a yard.
Dress Linens, 27 inches wide, at 20c a yard.
Japonette Wash Gingham at 25c a yard.
Fancy Satines, in Dress Patterns, at \$1.50 each.
English Printed Broches and the largest line of Scotch and French Gingham in the city.

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STANDARD PATTERNS. JOUVIN KID GLOVES.

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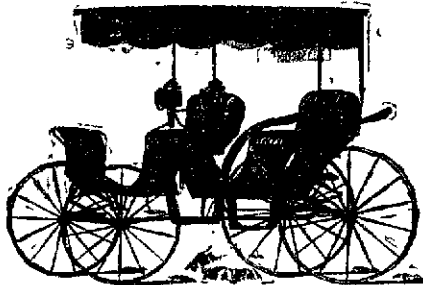
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The New Firm of Leon & Morris. (SUCCESSORS TO J. P. NICHOLSON.)

Would like to call your attention to the fact that they handle the best line of Vehicles ever offered to the people of Decatur and vicinity.

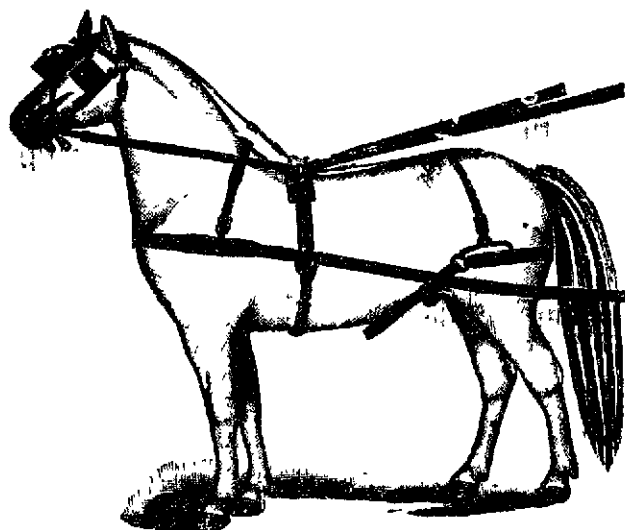


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DAILY REPUBLICAN

W. F. CALDWELL, Prop'r
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois Second class mail matter.

THURSDAY EVE., MARCH 8, 1894.

The president has submitted another batch of Hawaiian correspondence to congress.

This utter contempt in which the people hold the incompetent Democracy found expression in the local elections in New York Tuesday.

Does the Review really believe that a tax on sugar to get two votes from Louisiana in the senate for the Wilson bill will aid in restoring prosperity?

DURING the last year of Harrison's administration the public debt was decreased \$6,192,117. During the first year of Cleveland's administration the public debt was increased \$52,145,823.

The Decatur Review last summer declared that it would never stand a tax on sugar. Now as the Democrats in congress propose to tax the people's sugar it becomes a serious question with us what will become of the virtuous Democracy of the Review.

The Democratic boast has been that when Cleveland retired from his first term he left a full treasury. But, by the way, that great financier with his mighty power headway with his financial schemes during his present administration. What is the matter with Cleveland?

It is estimated that the proposed sugar duty by which the democrats in the senate propose to amend the Wilson bill will cost the people \$30,000,000 annually. This is a pretty high price to pay for the votes of the two Louisiana senators for the Wilson bill which of itself will destroy the progressive power of the country.

DEMOCRATIC repeaters killed one man and seriously wounded another at Troy, New York, Tuesday, because they objected to such frauds upon the ballot box. Remember, Democratic congressmen assumed to vote for the repeal of the Federal election laws because such laws had a tendency to prevent a free ballot. The free ballot they referred to was, evidently, repeating at the polls by political hyenas such as those who committed murder at the polls in Troy.

Business—Adjusting or Resuming. "O, well," they say, "pass the Wilson bill and business will adjust itself to it." This is true, every word of it. But it is equally true that if the Wilson bill were defeated and a guarantee were given the people by the President that the McKimley act would stand, business would resume. There is a great deal of difference between the resumption of business, after a former order, and adjusting business to a new order. Resuming business means taking up business again under the same conditions that it was when it was suspended—a return to business where it was before the paralyzing hand of Democracy struck it, when wages were good, farm products at a good price, and the industries of the country growing and advancing. Adjusting business to the new conditions imposed by the Wilson bill, involves many preliminary steps before anything like a resumption of former business can follow. It means cutting down wages all along the line, which is now going on in anticipation of the change of conditions. It means idleness to many workmen, who heretofore had profitable employment. It means the most stringent economy all along the line of manufacturing industries to prevent foreigners taking our market.

"Pass the Wilson bill and business will adjust itself to it," they say. Yes, we repeat; that is true; for we have an energetic sort of business men in this country who will manage to make business go in some shape, in spite of the inconveniences and troubles ushered through the false and unwholesome condition of the proposed tariff bill. They will not be able to make business go like it did in 1892, because that would render the primary intent of that bill nugatory, as the object of the bill is to open our markets to foreign goods that our people can make for themselves. If it were possible, in the adjustment of business, to prevent these importations, it would utterly defeat the revenue feature of the bill and leave the Democratic administration without money to run the government.

As a business man suggests, the difference between resuming business along prosperous lines, and adjusting business to new conditions, is like a robust, perfect young man, with all his physical energies in tact, resuming his work and amputating one of the limbs of the same young man, and thus handicapped, compelling him with that disadvantage to adjust himself to the new conditions. He will do the best he can, under the new conditions, and will be able to beat idleness to a great extent, but will never be able to do what he did before he was maimed.

The Silver Bill. The people have not forgotten how in 1890, when the Federal Election bill was before the senate, the Democrats formed an alliance with the silver state Republicans and blocked the way for the passage of that bill with a free silver coinage bill.

Silver has again thrust its white head into the senate, and may again be used to defeat a party measure. But this time it is not the Federal Election bill, but the Wilson bill. The Federal Election bill was a good, wholesome measure, which the country needs. The Wilson bill is an infamous, un-American bill that the people do not want, and which they would be glad to see defeated.

Senator Voorhees' finance committee, in charge of the Wilson bill, has fooled along with it, to give a lot of Democratic speculators an opportunity to enrich themselves by the manipulation of sugar stock, until the seigniorage bill passed the house and came to the senate, where the Republicans, taking advantage of Democratic stupidity, interposed to give it the right of way in the senate. The debate on this new silver measure will be practically endless, and in the meantime the Wilson bill will have to occupy a back seat, where it may die of blight. Let the silver debate go only let the Wilson bill, which is a record of Democratic stupidity and a kaleidoscope of the trash of the professional doctrinaires, that has no more practical business principles in its makeup than a yellow pumpkin in a flood, die, and die without the benefit of surgery.

Guaranteed Cure. We authorize our advertised druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with a Cough, Cold or any Lung, Throat or Chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We would not make this offer did we not know that Dr. King's New Discovery could be relied on. It never disappoints. Trial bottles free at King & Wood's drug store. Large size 50c and \$1.00. b.m.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder Most Perfect Made.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ASSESSOR. We are authorized to announce FRED J. SMITH as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce SAMUEL T. KIMBLE as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. ALLEN as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce ROBERT L. SMITH as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

TOWNSHIP CLERK. We are authorized to announce CHARLES H. DEWEY as a candidate for Town Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce HARMON C. WALLACE as a candidate for Town Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce ALBERT S. MORGAN as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES N. TYDELL as a candidate for Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce JAMES W. REAR as a candidate for Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce FRED W. WEAVER as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce JAMES H. MONTGOMERY as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS. We are authorized to announce CHARLES M. CALDWELL as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce JACOB S. COX as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce JOHN S. JONES as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS L. ARTHUR as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

A. J. WILLIAMS is hereby announced as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

REDEMPTION NOTICE. To Louise Baby and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described. You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of DeKalb, State of Illinois, on the first day of July, A. D. 1894, for the taxes for the year 1893, including interest, penalties and costs, I purchased the following described lot situated in said county, to-wit: Lot thirteen (13) in block four (4) of Duff's and King's addition to the city of Decatur, Illinois, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the first day of July, A. D. 1894.

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THURSDAY MORNING, Feb. 22.

Every yard a d pattern of
Dress Goods in the stock goes
AT COST during this sale.

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A cordial invitation to friends and customers.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

151 East Main Street.

Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.
MAON COUNTY, ss.
In the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, to be held on the 1st day of March, 1894, for the purpose of settling the estate of Andrew A. Hager, deceased.

You are hereby notified that I have filed in the county court of Macon County, Illinois, my final report of my acts and doings as such administrator, and that with the same I have filed a true and correct copy of the same, and that the time of the settlement of said estate, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application as you choose so to do.

MARCH 8, 1894.

CHARLES B. HALL,
Administrator.

REDEMPTION NOTICE.

To Louise Baby and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described. You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of DeKalb, State of Illinois, on the first day of July, A. D. 1894, for the taxes for the year 1893, including interest, penalties and costs, I purchased the following described lot situated in said county, to-wit: Lot thirteen (13) in block four (4) of Duff's and King's addition to the city of Decatur, Illinois, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the first day of July, A. D. 1894.

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To Elmer Lilly and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described. You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of DeKalb, State of Illinois, on the first day of July, A. D. 1894, for the taxes for the year 1893, including interest, penalties and costs, I purchased the following described lot situated in said county, to-wit: Lot thirteen (13) in block four (4) of Duff's and King's addition to the city of Decatur, Illinois, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the first day of July, A. D. 1894.

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BARGAIN COLUMN

For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

FOR SALE CHEAP—1 sulky plow, 5 break, 1 disc harrow, 1 corn planter, 1 double row plow, 1 Deering binder and 4 cultivators. Will sell for less than at half price. Apply to E. R. Bunnick, 145 North Water Street, over the Able's carpet store. 3-6-94

FOR SALE—On monthly payments, a house and lot in north part of city. Terms \$10 cash and \$10 per month till paid for. Apply to W. Z. Wainwright, real estate agent, over Chapin's store. 3-6-94

FOR SALE—Or will trade for city property, a farm of 50 acres in one of our best sections. Apply to W. Z. Wainwright, over Chapin's store. 3-6-94

FOR RENT—A house of 4 rooms, with a porch, of good, adjoining city limits. Enquire of H. C. JOHNSON, March 2, 1894.—d17

CUT FLOWERS—Roses, all kinds for \$1 per doz. Violets, 12c. Carnations in all colors. Callias and other flowers. Teasels, 20c. or leave orders at N. Bommersbach's. 3-6-94

LOST—A large envelope of legal blanks, including one note for \$1000. Finder please leave with JAMES J. F. N. Room 4, Court House, N. B. Bommersbach, near the city. 734 West Decatur Street. 3-6-94

AGENTS—AGENTS—Why pay a big price for one small lot when you can buy a big lot for a small price. JOHN A. BROWN, 100 East Main Street, over the city. 734 West Decatur Street. 3-6-94

FOR SALE—Fine new cottage, 5 rooms, in the city, in the best section. \$1000 cash, or easy payments. JOHN A. BROWN, 100 East Main Street, over the city. 734 West Decatur Street. 3-6-94

FOR SALE—Two story house of eight rooms, in the city, in the best section. \$1000 cash, or easy payments. JOHN A. BROWN, 100 East Main Street, over the city. 734 West Decatur Street. 3-6-94

THREE or four gentlemen can be accommodated with day board at 318 S. Main. 3-6-94

WANTED TO TRADE—Will trade a stock of \$1000, \$1500, \$2000 or \$2500 of Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Notions for one or two good 10 to 15 room houses, from five to ten blocks from center of city, or other property. I will take a stock of goods to open a store in a smaller town; also, will trade with anyone having a good property in a building and land area. Enquire of Chas. T. Johnston, 174 Water Street.—Jan13d17

STOLEN—Two carriages, one covered about 22x12 feet, with the name of S. Nunn printed on each. A reward of \$2 will be given upon information that will lead to their recovery. J. SMOCK, 422 East Main St. Jan13d17

MRS. ANNA WARD, Fashionable Ladies' Hair Worker, in all the styles that are worn. Ladies' hair dressed in all styles. Bohemian and Cleaning Ladies' Hair. Specialty 113 N. Main St., Decatur, Ill.—dec23d17

ALL kinds of cut flowers, roses, carnations, hyacinths, narcissus, etc. to be had at lowest prices. Fresh flowers at all times. Call on or telephone 200. N. BOMMERSBACH. dec23d17

NEW HOUSE of 7 rooms, wood well and city term, on West Decatur Street, for sale or trade. Will take in exchange one or two vacant lots, or other property. Enquire of J. S. BELL, Room No. 8, Fenton Block, over Bradley Bros' store. dec23d17

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R. O. BROWN, Architect and Builder, Office in Rooms 18 and 19, in Fenton Block, third floor, over Bradley Bros. 3-6-94

STORAGE—Regular storage house for all kinds of merchandise, household goods, stoves, etc. Goods packed. Loans made. Brick building. Office and warehouse on East Main Street. Telephone 922. C. O. HARRIS. Jan-17

WELLS driven or bored, from two to thirty six inches, with either brick or tile. For terms or prices, call at C. O. HARRIS' grocery store, 305 North Water Street. 3-6-94

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS.—I have several small farms to trade for small city property. One of 34 acres. One of 60 acres. One of 120 acres. One of 200 acres. One of 775 acres. Nice place for raising or chicken ranches. All near Decatur. Four-room house and lot in block 1200 North Church Street, a snap. No more high, dry lot on N. Church and Union Streets. The owner wants a little money, balance on easy terms. Investigate this call soon. P. H. BRUCKE, Real Estate Broker, 240 N. Main St. Oct 22—d17

MONEY TO LOAN—Real Estate Converter. Room 5, Union Block, over the National Bank of Decatur. nov17d17

WANTED—Second-hand stores and furniture, for which we will pay cash. Bargain in second-hand goods. WALKER & ORANGE, 240 East Main St. 3-6-94

FARM FOR SALE.—The well-known Fenton town farm of 230 acres in South Wheatland township, Macon County, 2 1/2 miles from Elwin, 1 1/2 miles from Macon and 9 1/2 miles from Decatur. The farm is as fertile as any land west of here, and is a fine place for a home or for a farm of equal size in Central Illinois. For terms and address call on H. H. PATTERSON, Elwin, Ill.—seize2d17

TO CLOSE

—THE BALANCE OF—
Heavy Weight

We offer choice of 50 Heavy Weight Cassimere Suits at \$6.25; Sacks to 40, worth up to \$10.

We offer choice of 75 Sacks of Heavy Weight Cassimere Worsted and Flocks, sizes 33 to 40, all of a kind, worth up to \$20.

At \$12.75, Choice of 100 Sacks of Flocks, Fine Worsted Cheviots, left from our sale; to close our choice at \$12.75; Fine Tailors perfect in every way, sizes up to \$22.

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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, who formerly practiced at Boody and later at Quincy, Ill., has returned and permanently to Decatur, Ill., to practice his profession. He is a graduate of the Medical College of Chicago, and is a member of the American Medical Association. He is a skilled and experienced physician, and is prepared to treat all diseases of the human body. He is a kind and courteous man, and is always ready to attend to his patients. He is a member of the Decatur Medical Society, and is a leader in the profession. He is a man of high character and high ability, and is a credit to his profession. He is a man who is always ready to do his duty, and is a man who is always ready to help his fellow men. He is a man who is always ready to do his duty, and is a man who is always ready to help his fellow men.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.
MAON COUNTY, ss.
In the Circuit Court of Macon County, Ill. To the June term A. D. 1894.

ANNA M. FEASE vs. George T. Fease, bill for divorce, etc.

A proper affidavit having been made and filed in said court, public notice is hereby given to George T. Fease that ANNA M. FEASE the complainant in the above entitled cause has heretofore filed a bill for divorce, etc. against said George T. Fease, said said cause is now pending in said court, said said cause to be held at the court house in the City of Decatur, Illinois, on the first day of June, A. D. 1894, at the same time and place, commencing on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1894, that a summons issued out of said court, to-wit: George T. Fease, the defendant in said cause, and that the same is returnable on the fourth day of June, A. D. 1894, the same being the first day of said court.

Now, therefore, if you George T. Fease shall fail to appear at said term of said court on the first day of said term of said court to answer or defend in the said cause, the said said cause will be taken as confessed and a judgment rendered by default against said said defendant.

Dated this 7th day of March, A. D. 1894.

W. M. McLELLAN, Clerk.

Partition Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.
MAON COUNTY, ss.
In the Circuit Court of Macon County, Ill. To the June term A. D. 1894.

Daniel L. Shutter, et al. vs. Charles Shutter et al. petition for partition, etc.

To Charles A. Shutter and Albert Smith. You are hereby notified that you have been implicated as respondents in the above entitled cause which said cause is now pending in said court, and that a summons is issued out of said court in said cause returnable on the first day of said term of said court to be held at the court house in the City of Decatur, Illinois, on the first day of June, A. D. 1894, at the same time and place, commencing on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1894, that a summons issued out of said court, to-wit: Charles A. Shutter and Albert Smith, the defendants in said cause, and that the same is returnable on the fourth day of June, A. D. 1894, the same being the first day of said court.

Now, therefore, if you Charles A. Shutter and Albert Smith shall fail to appear at said term of said court on the first day of said term of said court to answer or defend in the said cause, the said said cause will be taken as confessed and a judgment rendered by default against said said defendants.

Dated this 7th day of March, A. D. 1894.

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THE DAILY REPUBLICAN.
"Photographic Tour of the World."
COUPON.
This coupon is received (when accompanied by two others and eight cents) for "Photographic Tour of the World"—Part 4, as elsewhere advertised. Dates are changed daily and coupons must be different but need not be consecutive.
PART 4, MAR. 18.

SPECIAL COUPON.
(For back numbers.)
This coupon and two others and eight cents in coin are good for any back number of the "Photographic Tour of the World."
MARCH 8. No. 16.

Call at this office and get Part 4
Chapman Meetings.
Dr. J. W. Chapman Will Preach

EVERY DAY.
9:30 a. m.—Men's Prayer Meeting, 40 minutes.
9:30 a. m.—Workers' Meeting, Bible and note books. Presbyterian Church.
2:30 p. m.—Woman's Prayer Meeting, at First M. E. Church.
3:30 p. m.—Preaching at Opera House.
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SOCIETY MEETINGS.
BAY LEAF CAMP—Regular meeting of Bay Leaf Camp No. 10, N. E. of A. C. C. at 7:30 p. m. at N. PIERCE-COLLINS, ORACLE, E. A. ANDREWS, Recorder.
ORDER EASTERN STAR—Regular meeting of Order Eastern Star No. 111, at Masonic Temple, this (Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Officers and members earnestly requested to be prompt. Visiting members cordially welcomed. Wm. E. Pease, C. P.
KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Regular convention of Order of Knights of Pythias, No. 17, K. of P., this (Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Work in the ranks of Pythias. Wm. E. Pease, C. P.
I. O. O. F.—Special meeting of Decatur Chapter No. 2, this (Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock in Odd Fellows' hall. Visiting Patriarchs invited to attend. Every member is earnestly requested to be present. Wm. E. Pease, C. P.

REPUBLICAN TOWNSHIP CONVENTION
A Republican Township Convention will be held at the Guards' Armory, in Decatur, Ill., on Friday, March 18th, 1894, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican National Convention to be held at St. Louis, Mo., on the 12th and 13th of June, 1894. The following officers to be elected for the following offices to be voted for at the Township Election to be held Tuesday, April 24, 1894:
One Collector.
One Town Clerk.
One Assessor.
One Commissioner of Highways.
One Pound Master.
The representatives of said convention will be based upon the Republican vote cast for Supervisor in 1892, and will be as follows:
1st District..... 6 delegates
2d District..... 8 delegates
3d District..... 8 delegates
4th District..... 8 delegates
5th District..... 8 delegates
6th District..... 8 delegates
7th District..... 8 delegates
8th District..... 8 delegates
9th District..... 8 delegates
10th District..... 8 delegates
11th District..... 8 delegates
12th District..... 8 delegates
13th District..... 8 delegates
14th District..... 8 delegates
Total..... 78 delegates
A primary election will be held in each district, at the places designated below on Thursday, March 16th, 1894, from the hours of 8 a. m. to 8 p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the convention for the several offices, and at the hour of 8 p. m. the delegates from each district will be chosen, and the candidate for the several offices will be chosen. The highest number of votes in the district shall receive the vote of the delegation from such district in convention. The Township Central Committee shall have charge of the primary election, and shall appoint the clerk.
The primary tickets shall be supplied by the Township Central Committee, and shall contain the names of all Republicans who notify the chairman of the committee of their desire to have their names placed on the tickets, and who pay their share of the cost of printing tickets.
All Republicans are requested to attend the primaries that the result of the vote may be the correct expression of the party's preferences. The primary in each district will be held in the following places to-wit:
First district—Street car barn on East North Street.
Second district—McClure's shoe shop, on North Main Street.
Third district—Smyth & Son's wholesale harness factory, North Main Street.
Fourth district—Bowers shop on Mercer Street between North and Wilson Streets.
Fifth district—Nixon's grocery store, corner Oakland Avenue and West Main Street.
Sixth district—Deak's grocery store, corner West Main Street and North Main Street.
Seventh district—Jacob's grocery store, corner North Main Street and East Main Street.
Eighth district—Small Bros. Feed stable, 241 East Main Street.
Ninth district—Dunphy's Block, East Main Street.
Tenth district—Thomas Paine building corner East Main Street and North Main Street.
Eleventh district—Perry's grocery store corner North Main Street and East Main Street.
Twelfth district—Geisler's Block, North Main Street.
Thirteenth district—Olson's grocery store corner North Main Street and East Main Street.
Fourteenth district—Cram's drug store corner King and Mercer Streets.
By order of the Township Central Committee.
JOHN H. McCOY, Chairman.
CHAS. N. TRIMBLE, Secretary.

CHAPMAN AND BILHORN.

The Evangelist and the Singer at the Union Meetings.

The Grand Crowded Last Night to Hear the Gospel in Song and Story—A Strong Sermon.

Last night at the Grand opera house, in the presence of a congregation which tested the capacity of the great hall, Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, the noted evangelist, took charge of the union revival services, being introduced in laudatory terms by Rev. W. O. Miller. Peter Bilhorn, the vocalist, who has a rich baritone voice, was also introduced. Dr. Chapman arrived in the city on the afternoon train from Mansfield, Ohio. He is a gentleman of fine personal address, and has a fine command of language. He has been a Christian all his life, and, as he said last night he cannot remember the time from his boyhood up when he was not a Christian. He remembers when he received the baptism of the Holy Ghost better than he can state quickly the date of his birth. His manner is pleasant, and his very presence is magnetic. Not a movement of his hand or arm, or a single word uttered is lost upon the congregation. His well modulated tones are pleasant to the ear; his logic is convincing, his eloquence touching, and his frequent illustrations to bring home the truth of the scripture, well put and appropriate. But the great secret of his success in the revival work is his complete consecration and his deep earnestness. His power and influence will be felt in the community.

Before the sermon Mr. Bilhorn conducted a song service and Rev. D. F. Howe offered prayer. Dr. Chapman selected for his text Acts xix: 2, and said in substance: "Upon this question depends the happiness of the soul. Have you received the spirit of the Holy Ghost since you have believed? Paul stood and preached the power of the Holy Ghost to the people in the old city of Ephesus. Who are these people? They are Christians of the church of Christ. Paul asks if they have received the spirit of the Holy Ghost. They say they do not know what it is. But by Paul they were taught, and received and benefited. So you may be if you will take it into your lives. Some time ago I held the hand of a professor of a prominent university, a very brilliant man, but then a skeptic. He was brought to Christ by us and received the spirit of the Holy Ghost. Through his influence he has brought sixty students into the fold. This is what it means to be a Christian and believe in this power, for spiritual power always wins."

"I have a friend in New York, and I wish she were here to-night to talk to you. She is a wonderful speaker and you would be moved. Very gifted, wealthy and a great worker in behalf of fallen women. Her name is Mrs. Whitmore, and is well known in the connection. A home has been established and is maintained by her for these poor creatures. Their gates are always open to them. Mrs. Whitmore goes into the slums of that great city to hunt out these women. On one occasion she went into the vilest dives of Mulberry street and saw talking to a crowd of corrupt, depraved men and woman a sad, blue-eyed girl, who presented a most pitiful appearance. She was dirty, her clothes torn and it was very evident that she had been into a disreputable brawl. The hair was torn from her head and from her lips issued the vilest profanity. Mrs. Whitmore approached her and gave her a rose that she had taken with her from her home, saying 'If you need a friend, come to me.' This girl had been known among these people as Blue Bell, on account of her eyes, which were of that color. She could not believe that rose was for her, and when assured it was she broke into tears. Some time later Mrs. Whitmore, on going to the home, found the girl in the ball. She had been refused admittance on account of her dirty condition, which proclaimed her station in life, for fear she would influence the other inmates to do wrong. Mrs. Whitmore took her in, cared for her, taught her, and raised her far above the life she had led. Blue Bell proved to be a bright scholar, and to-day she is among her old haunts, a missionary of God. She is the power of the spirit of the Holy Ghost. Many of us might be drawn to do such things had we this spirit. I agree with Mr. Moody when he said there is a difference in this power being in you and upon you. Noah opened the window of the ark and a dove flew out. It sailed away but soon returned and lighted in his hand. Again it flew away and returned with an olive leaf in its bill, the emblem of peace and good will. What is it flying again? It did not return, it had gone to carry these tidings into the new world. If God renews into your soul you know what it is to have power."

"I had a man in my church in Philadelphia who was very remarkable. He said he was born in Ireland, raised in Scotland, and received the Holy Ghost in America. If he were here to-night he would be sure to speak, and he is again remarkable for his ability to baptize the queen's English. When he was asked to speak, and in his simple manner of telling you of the power about which I have been talking, you would be deeply impressed. I beseech you to receive this spirit to-night."

"A church member came to Mr. Mills while in Cincinnati once and asked why he could not make progress with his Sunday school class. He was told because he had not the power. This set him to thinking, and he asked if he could speak alone with him. The request was granted, and when alone the man handed to Mr. Mills an envelope which contained \$200, saying he had taken it from his employers, but would not confess it. He was told that he must and was even on his way to the east to the home of his old employers. He was much afraid of being discharged and disgraced, but after the confession was made his employer asked him to kneel down and join him in prayer. He went back to his duties for the first time knowing the power and happiness in the spirit of the Holy Ghost.

May be these things are caused by too little communing with God. A party of Indian chieftains went to Washington to confer with the Great Father, and they made their children like those of the white man. An old general who stood by with one coat sleeve empty held a bible aloft and said, "This is the medicine to take." It will do even more. It will cure the world's sins and clean the heart. It is the medicine to bring you to God. If we could but be filled with this spirit and could compel this city to surrender.

A lady died in London and people of all stations in life came to see the remains. After they had been viewed by every one, a poorly clad woman with a babe in her arms stopped before the casket, and after sitting her child upon the floor knelt and kissed the glass plate on the coffin. She was told to move on, but she said no; I have walked miles to see this lady who saved my boys, and I have a right to look upon this face. Thus lady was Mrs. Booth, the mother of the Salvation Army. She had a wonderful power.

Dr. Chapman extended an invitation to any to come forward, while Mr. Bilhorn sang "Fill Me Now." All were asked to stand who had a desire to be filled with this spirit. Many signified their willingness, God being their helper, to lead a Christian life, and help in these meetings by holding up their hands.

THE DAY MEETINGS.
Until further notice the meetings for men will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The meetings for workers will be held at the Presbyterian church. Rev. J. H. Elliott addressed both meetings this forenoon, and each service was quite largely attended. The meeting for women will be held at the First M. E. church. Dr. Chapman will address each afternoon and night meeting at the opera house.

It is the providence of woman to make home the field of true happiness. Whether she does it or not depends largely upon the aid and encouragement she receives from her partner in wedded joys. Man enters the arena of business with the full purpose of being master of whatever he undertakes, and becomes so absorbed in his undertakings that he often loses sight of home, wife and children, for which only life is worth living. If he would feel the same responsibility in regard to his home that he does in his business affairs, he would reach a state of advancement in the understanding of life that would make home the blisful abode of happy hearts. One of the important factors in helping to attain this much-desired end is the use of the greatest of all and only majestic Range. The Morehouse, Wells Co. are the sole agents for Decatur and Macon county. We advise that you see them at once.

A Good Bye Party.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamsher, of 1606 East Main street, gave a farewell party last evening to their son John Gray, of Galva, Ia., who will return home tomorrow. Those present were: Misses Jessie and Maud Felton, Golda Miller, Alice Burkham, Ophelia Gries, Laura and Nellie Clark; Messrs. Will Young, Steve Dillinger, Will Fulton, John and George White, J. A. Sasse, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shanks.

E. D. Bartholomew's old stand in the place to buy a Hanging Lamp for \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00. This is just half the former price.
J. W. RACE, Assignee.

The Battiship Illinois at the World's Fair had the U. S. Government Standard Range, Miller's Monitor, at
LITTLE & ECKELS HARDWARE CO.'S.
8-23

Sales of Real Estate.
George S. Morris to Drew Brothers, lot 9 in block 2 in A. E. Kinney's First addition to Decatur—\$3,200.
Elizabeth Denny to Charles Moore, deed to lot 11, block 2, Carver's addition—\$11,000.

Don't Fall To examine our scrofulic sale of all kind of Lamps. J. W. RACE, Assignee of E. D. Bartholomew.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.
The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondence in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:
CHICAGO, ILL., March 8, 1894.

May.....	60 1/2	61 1/2	59 1/2	60 1/2
July.....	62 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Sept.....	62 1/2	.....	.....	.....
Corn—	.....	.....	.....	.....
May.....	85 1/2	.....	.....	35 1/2
July.....	82 1/2	85	87 1/2	87 1/2
Sept.....	90 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
Oats—
May.....	30 1/2	29 1/2
July.....	31 1/2	31 1/2	31	31
Sept.....	29 1/2	29 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2

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NOTICE.
and parties
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Redemption Notice.
To Simon P. Moll and the owners and parties
interested in the lands or lots hereinafter de-
scribed.
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands
and town lots for state, county and special
taxes and assessments made in pursuance of
law, by the county collector of the county of
Macon and state of Illinois, at the north outside
door of the court house, in the city of Decatur,
in said county and state, on the second day of
July, A. D. 1894, P. H. Hunt & Co. purchased
the following described real estate, situated in
said Macon county, 40 feet of the north side
of lot 1 in block 1 of John Williams' addition to
the City of Decatur, for the special assessment
for the year 1891, including interest and costs
due on the said real estate and assessed the certificate
of purchase of the same to us and at the time
the said real estate was specially assessed as
aforesaid it was taxed or assigned in the name
of Simon P. Moll, and that the time
of the redemption thereof from said sale will
expire on the second day of July, A. D. 1894.
D. W. BENNETT & CO., Assignees of P. H.
Hunt & Co.—March 1-4-3w.

REDEMPTION NOTICE.
To B. H. Cassell and the owners and parties
interested in the lands or lots hereinafter de-
scribed.
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands
and town lots for state, county and special
taxes and assessments made in pursuance of
law, by the county collector of the County of Macon
and State of Illinois, at the north outside
door of the court house, in the City of Decatur,
in said county and state, on the first day of July, A. D.
1892, J. C. Hostetler, purchaser, purchased
the following described real estate, situated in said Macon
county, Lot 12 in block 1, of B. H. Cassell's
addition to the City of Decatur, for the special
assessment for the year 1891, including interest and costs
due on the said real estate and at the time
the said real estate was specially assessed as
aforesaid it was taxed or assigned in the name
of B. H. Cassell, and that the time of the re-
demption thereof from said sale will expire on
the second day of July, A. D. 1894.
March 1-4-3w. J. C. HOSTETLER.

NOTICE.
and parties in-
hereinafter de-
Administrator's Sale.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss
COUNTY OF MACON, ss
In the County Court of Macon county, Illinois.
Andrew H. Mills, Administrator of the estate of
John R. Wagoner, deceased, vs. Margaret J.
Wagoner, et al.—Petition to sell real estate to
pay debts, assign down, etc.
Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a
decree of the county court of Macon county in
the State of Illinois, entered at the February
term, A. D. 1894, in the above entitled cause, I,
Andrew H. Mills, administrator of the estate of
John R. Wagoner, deceased, will on Saturday,
March 24, 1894, at the hour of one o'clock p. m.,
at the north door of the court house in the city
of Decatur in said county, offer for sale at public
venue to the highest and best bidder, the fol-
lowing described real estate, to-wit:
Lot 1 in block 1 in S. R. Smith's Re-survey of
lots in the village of Mt. Zion, also commencing
at the northwest corner of said lot, thence south
24 degrees, west 62 chains and 39½ links to the
angular point in the west end of said lot, thence
west 1 chain and 42½ links, thence north 32½
degrees, east 2 chains and 58 links to the be-
ginning, containing 17.110 of an acre, which sale
shall be upon the following terms:—One-half
cash in hand on day of sale and the other half in
one year from day of sale, the purchaser giving
approved personal security for said deferred pay-
ment and a mortgage on the premises so sold; or
the purchaser may pay all cash if he so elects.
Said premises will be sold free from the mort-
gage lien, dower lien and homestead lien of said
Margaret J. Wagoner.
Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 7th day of
March, A. D. 1894.
March 7-4-4w. ANDREW H. MILLS, Adm'r.

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LATEST FROM HAWAII

Preparing to Organize a Constitu-
tional Government.

MEETING OF THE ANNEXATION CLUB.

The Various Organizations Favorable to
the Provisional Government to Unite
in One Powerful and Influential
Party—Proposed Platform.

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SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—The
schooner Transit arrived from Hono-
lulu at 11 o'clock yesterday morning,
bringing advices to February 20. Ad-
vices sent by the Oceanic, on the 15th
ult., reported important action having
been taken by the provisional govern-
ment in the matter of preparing for a
constitutional convention to organize
a representative government. This
was followed, on the 17th, after an
evening meeting of the Annexation
club, by action on the part of the lead-
ing members of the club as citizens,
organizing formally as a political
party in support of the government.
Resolutions were passed deprecating
a division of the annexationists into
leagues of clubs, and advising the
whole body of loyal annexationists to
form one broad party. A preliminary
committee of thirteen was appointed
to take charge of the formation of the
new party.

The committee met on the 18th and
organized plans for the appointment
of national district and island com-
mittees. Their work was continued
on the 19th.

This movement embraces all classes
and divisions hitherto arising among
supporters of the provisional govern-
ment. It is fully expected to super-
sede and displace all separate political
action in the American league, or Ger-
man and Portuguese organization.

This party organization is independ-
ent of the annexation clubs. While the
aforesaid leagues have served to stimu-
late political activity, the new party or-
ganization is expected to absorb their
political functions in the future.

The platform of principles has been
substantially agreed upon, as follows:

1. To support the provisional government.
2. To resist the restoration of the monarchy.
3. To establish a practicable form of rep-
resentative government.
4. The government to be united as soon as
possible with that of the United States.
5. A liberal policy in disposing of public
lands in small tracts to actual settlers and dis-
courage large speculative holdings.
6. Revision of the taxation system, large ex-
cises to bear their proper share of the public
burdens.
7. Favors immigration of Portuguese and
other whites to replace the Asiatics.
8. No class legislation discriminating against
any class of loyal citizens.
9. A liberal system of productive public
works.
10. Needed labor and material for public
service not to be imported from abroad if pro-
curable here.
11. No prison labor to be employed in me-
chanical work.
12. No person to be employed by the govern-
ment unless loyal to it.

The organization of the new party is
eminently satisfactory to the govern-
ment and its active supporters.

POLLARD-BRECKINRIDGE.

The Trial of the Case Begun To-Day.
Unless the Defense Secured An-
other Postponement.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The trial of
the suit brought against Congressman
William C. P. Breckinridge, of Ken-
tucky, by Madeline M. Pollard, for
breach of promise, and in which is in-
volved the charge of seduction, begins
this morning in this city. Col. Enoch
Totten, one of Col. Breckinridge's
counsel, is ill in Florida, and as he will
not return to Washington for a week,
it is likely that his associate, Col. Phil
Thompson, Jr., of Kentucky, will ask
for a postponement, but it is believed
the court will not grant the request
unless the counsel for the plaintiff
consent as a matter of courtesy, and
this they are not disposed to do, in
view of previous delays.

Miss Pollard is represented by Hon.
Jere Wilson and Mr. Calderon Carlisle.
Mr. A. A. Wilson, the marshal of the
District of Columbia, has received hun-
dreds of applications for seats at the
trial, but he has taken no action con-
cerning them. Lawyers are showing a
great deal of interest in the legal battle
that will be fought, and many of them,
anticipating a crowd, have applied for
reserved seats in the space reserved for
the bar. In view of these applications,
Marshal Wilson has asked the judge
of the District supreme court to allow
the largest court room in their juris-
diction to be used, and the request will
be granted. This chamber, known as
criminal court room No. 1, was used for
the trial of Giteau.

RATLIFF INDICTED.

He was Promptly Arraigned and Pleaded
Not Guilty.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 8.—A special
from Kosciusko, Miss., to the Com-
mercial says:

The grand jury now in session re-
turned a bill of indictment against
Rev. W. F. Ratliff yesterday for the
murder of S. A. Jackson. Ratliff was
promptly arraigned, and pleaded not
guilty. The court fixed Saturday for
taking up the case. No action has yet
been taken for the accidental shooting
of Saunders. W. S. Hill, the state's
attorney, will be assisted by the legal
firm of Hayden & Davis. Allen & Mc-
Cool and Dood & Armistead, all of this
place, will defend Ratliff.

Does Not Call for Action.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The secre-
tary of state received a dispatch from
Minister Baker in Nicaragua, yester-
day, stating that Braildi, the American
consul at Greytown, reported that fifty
men had been landed from a British
ship to preserve order at Bluefields.
The secretary, while glad to have defi-
nite information, does not attach any
particular importance to the matter,
and will take no action until further
details are obtained.

PRODUCTS OF THE STATES.

ARKANSAS in cotton stands fifth, in
males ninth, in lumber twelfth.
TENNESSEE is second in peanuts, third
in live stock, ninth in cotton.
VIRGINIA is the first in peanuts, sec-
ond in tobacco and eighth in salt.
MARYLAND is second in fisheries,
fourth in coal and seventh in tobacco.
NORTH CAROLINA is first in tar, sec-
ond in copper, third in peanuts, fourth
in rice.
ARIZONA is fifth in silver, eighth in
sheep and live stock and ninth in gold
product.
KENTUCKY is first in tobacco, fourth
in whiskey, sixth in hogs, eighth in rye
and males.
ALABAMA is fourth in cotton, fifth in
molasses, sixth in sugar, seventh in
rice, tenth in coal.
CONNECTICUT has thirty thousand
farms. The tobacco product in 1890
was fourteen million pounds.
FLORIDA produces over fifty varieties
of the orange. The annual crop is
about two million and a quarter boxes.

SPORTING MATTERS.

ONE of the most interesting matches
under the Queensberry rules is the one
that has ended in the marriage of the
marquis himself to Miss Weedon.
The settlers and ranchmen in the vi-
cinity of Owen, Wyo., complain that
stock is killed in great numbers by
bears. Hunters are not after these an-
imals, as there is no bounty for them.
EMPEROR WILLIAM'S bear hunts, ac-
cording to the Berlin papers, are de-
prived of all elements of danger by un-
tussling the bear and docking its teeth.
A little chloroform would make the
sport completely safe.
PROBABLY no one sportsman in a
hundred knows what is the basis of
measurement of gauge in shotguns,
though every sportsman ought to
know that as the number of the gauge
increases the size of the bore decreases.
The gauge is determined by the num-
ber of spherical leaden balls required
to weigh a pound, any one of which
will exactly fit the bore of the gun.

MEDICAL SCIENCE.

BABIES and young children dressed
in white are thought by medical men
to be more susceptible to colds and in-
fectious diseases than those clad in
dark, warm colors.
A doctor at Corpus Christi, Tex., re-
cently grafted a piece of a rabbit's
eye upon the injured optic of a ten-
year-old boy and the operation being
fair to be a complete success.
LIME juice contains a very whole-
some fruit acid and might well be sub-
stituted for vinegar for table use;
there are so many vile substitutes that
the vinegar on the table is always of
doubtful quality, and the best is alive
with squirming animalcules.
DURING the recent trial of a sick
manipulator in Great Britain expert
evidence proved that the active in-
gredient in a popular lotion is corrosive
sublimite, and that the cost of the
preparation, which is sold for two dol-
lars and a half a bottle, was exactly
one cent.

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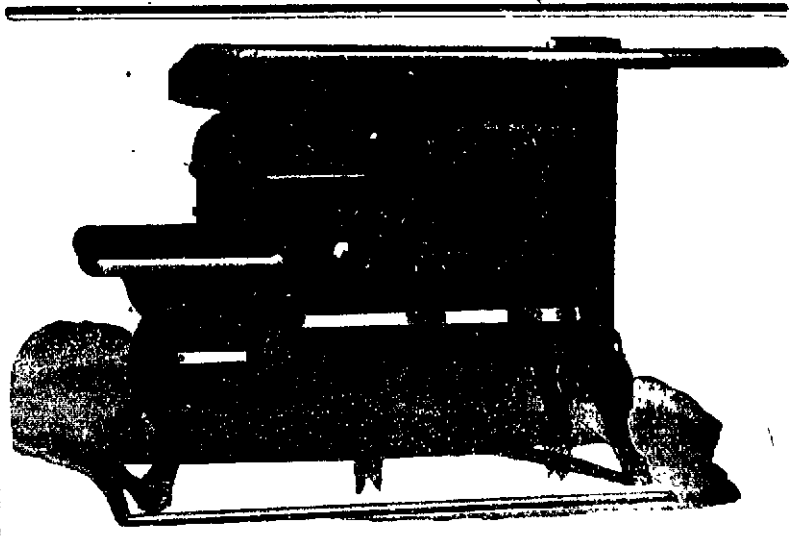
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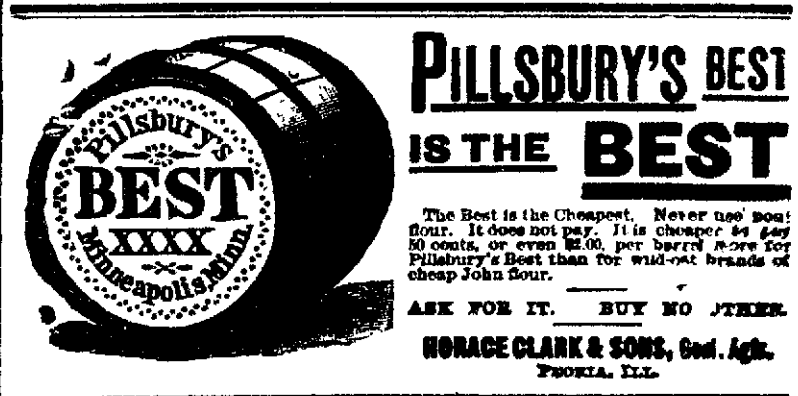
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THE DAY IN CONGRESS

The Staid Old Senate Gets a Move on Itself AND RUSHES THE SEIGNIORAGE BILL

Through the Various Stages, Calling a Halt at the Last Moment on the Request of Senator Sherman—To Be Passed To-Day.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—A bill was passed appropriating \$45,000 for the purpose of reclaiming the Kearsarge and her equipment; provided that not more than \$10,000 shall be expended if the attempt proves a failure.

Mr. Morgan, from the committee on foreign relations, reported a resolution requesting the president to inform the senate, if not inconsistent with public policy, whether the government of Great Britain had occupied Bluefields or any other place from the Mosquito reservation in Nicaragua, with a military force, to state the character and strength of such force, and the claim of authority on the part of the British government to occupy that country. He supposed he said, although he did not know, that the Kearsarge had been dispatched to the Bluefields on account of that occupation.

The resolution was agreed to.

The senate also passed house joint resolution authorizing Maj.-Gen. Oliver O. Howard, of the United States army, to accept from the president of the French republic, a diploma conferring on him the decoration of the national order of the Legion of Honor.

Mr. Harris called for a vote on his motion for a second reading of the seigniorage bill, which he would ask the senate to pass.

Mr. Sherman said he would move, if no one else did, to refer the bill to the finance committee. He regarded the bill as one of the most important ones that had come before the senate for years. It proposed the issue of United States notes to the amount of \$50,000,000 for the current expenses of the government. He regarded it as a revolutionary proposition. This issue of \$50,000,000 would be followed by the issue of other millions of money, without any provision being made for their redemption. He trusted, therefore, that the bill could be referred to the finance committee. There were two propositions in the bill, entirely different and separate from each other. The one was whether congress had the right to pledge again the silver in the treasury for any other purpose than the redemption of silver certificates. That question involved the integrity and honor of the government. The other question was whether, in a time of profound peace, paper money should be issued to pay the current expenses of the government.

Mr. Palmer argued in favor of the bill's reference to the finance committee.

The discussion continued until 2 p. m., when the senate agreed to refer the bill to the committee on the seigniorage bill, which, therefore, came before the senate as a committee of the whole, and Mr. Dubois made an argument against the motion to refer it to the finance committee.

Mr. Voorhees, chairman of the finance committee, said that if he had supposed that the taking up of the seigniorage bill would result in any delay of the tariff bill, he would be opposed to it. The situation was, he said, this: He assumed that the report of the committee on the tariff would be made within the next few hours to the full committee. The majority of the committee would be granted some time for examination and consideration of the features of the bill. He hoped the bill would be reported to the committee after a brief period. It would involve, however, some days—a few days after the tariff bill would be reported to the senate. It would go to the calendar and would necessarily remain there at least a week. That would be requisite in order to allow senators to examine it and to prepare themselves for its discussion. His statement, therefore, necessarily involved a delay of ten days, after tomorrow before its consideration could be begun in the senate. He had had, of late days, much to try his patience and his temper but the action of the other side of the chamber on the seigniorage bill had been an agreeable thing to him, as there was a chance of the house passing it which he rather liked. [Laughter.]

Mr. Harris, continuing the discussion, said there were \$55,000,000 technically called seigniorage, of silver bullion in the vaults of the treasury. If the bill passed, the seigniorage of the senator from Ohio that silver bullion was a special trust fund, he would call it, except for his great respect for that senator, but he really knew of no other trust fund that would so clearly express his opinion.

The question was then taken on Mr. Sherman's motion to refer the seigniorage bill to the finance committee, and the motion was defeated. Yeas 6, nays 59. The affirmative votes were given by Senators Davis, Chandler, Gallinger (rep. N. H.), Morrill (rep. Vt.), Palmer (dem. Ill.), Sherman (rep. O.) and Vilas (dem. Wis.).

The bill was read in full and the presiding officer (Mr. Faulkner) said the bill was in committee of the whole and open to amendment. Then, no amendment being offered, he announced that the bill was before the senate and open to amendment. No amendment being offered, he followed by the announcement that the question was on the engrossment and third reading of the bill, and, that stage being rapidly passed, he said that the question now was shall the bill pass.

All this had been accomplished so deftly and so quickly that the opponents of the bill did not seem to realize that their opportunities had slipped away. Finally Mr. Hoar inquired what had become of the bill. Mr. Sherman had offered or proposed to offer. He was informed that Mr. Stewart had abandoned the purpose, and as the presiding officer put the question "Shall the bill pass?" Mr. Hoar inquired a motion to amend the greatest delay for years and days. At first it looked as if the necessary one fifth to second a call for the yeas and nays was not forthcoming, but finally enough senators were counted and the motion to adjourn was taken by yeas and nays and defeated. Yeas 12, nays 30.

The senators voting for adjournment were Messrs. Aldrich, Allison, Frye, Gallinger, Hale, Hawley, Hoar, Morrill, Palmer, Platt, Quay and Sherman.

Mr. Morrill protested against such an important bill being passed in what appeared to be a consideration of the senate. There had been no consideration as to what the effects of its passage would be on the credit of the country, both at home and abroad.

Mr. Palmer inquired whether the bill was still subject to amendment, and was informed by the presiding officer that it was not.

Mr. Allison—Has the bill passed to a third reading?

Mr. President—Yes; and the question now before the senate is on the passage of the bill.

Mr. Allison—Then I move to reconsider the vote whereby the bill was engrossed and read a third time.

Mr. Chandler—On that motion I ask the yeas.

Mr. Sherman made a final appeal to the senate against hasty action. The course adopted with the bill was, he said, in violation of the established rules of the senate. Never since the body was organized had such an important measure been rushed pell-mell through it. The senate had refused to refer it, and now it was to be passed with scarcely any delay. That seemed extraordinary. He begged the senate—the greatest deliberative body in the world—to pause before hurrying to its passage a bill which in his judgment contained within it things as indefensible as he had ever known in a bill. He insisted that he would like more time to present his objections to it. No senator, he said, had dreamed that the bill was to pass to-day. "No matter," said Mr. Harris, "what people may have dreamed or not dreamed; if the senator desires further time, he shall have it."

Mr. Allison said that he had in his mind two amendments which he thought were necessary, and he hoped that in some way the bill might not be placed beyond the power of amendment.

"That has already been done," said Mr. Voorhees.

"I hope the third reading will be considered," said Mr. Allison.

"I prefer being frank to being agreeable," said Mr. Harris, "and I shall not consent to its going back to the amendment stage."

After some further colloquy, the bill was allowed to go over till to-morrow, principally for the accommodation of Mr. Sherman, but with no indication that there would be to-morrow, any abandonment or yielding of the parliamentary advantage which it occupies.

After action on Mr. Allison's motion to reconsider the vote is on the passage of the bill.

After an executive session the senate, at 2:20, adjourned until to-morrow.

HOUSE.

In the house to-day, at the beginning of the discussion of the pension bill, Mr. Waugh stated that Deputy Commissioner Deil had written him a letter denying the truthfulness of the interview printed in the Indianapolis Sentinel, and quoted by him (Mr. Waugh) in his speech, in which Mr. Deil was made to say that the expenditures for pensions in the year 1894 would be \$3,000,000 less than for the current year, and that before the Congress of 1894 the annual expenditures on current pensions would be reduced to \$10,000,000 a year.

Mr. Hudson said that the real reason why the house indulged in this annual debate was that the old soldier had a vote. The pension question, he said, should be taken out of politics.

Mr. Russell said he had received notice that the colored brother was to be relegated to the rear, and that the republican party would be the northern heart with their appeals on this pension question.

The question was further discussed by Messrs. Thomas, who urged an increase of the amount appropriated; Springer and Hepburn, and the debate took a wide scope. Mr. Springer charged that the pension bureau had been used by the republican party to affect the vote in Ohio and Indiana, which were doubtful states, politically. Illinois averaged nearly no pensioners per district, as did both the states named.

Mr. O'Neill (dem. Mass.), in charge of the bill, closed the general debate, winding up with an eloquent entry upon the character and services of Gen. Black, the ex-commissioner, Commissioner Leachman, Secretary Smith and President Cleveland, and a presentation of the bill as a generous expression of the democratic party on the subject of pensions.

The bill then came up for consideration under the five-minute rule, and for amendment. General amendments were ruled out to points of order, when Mr. Grosvenor moved to amend by making the total appropriation for pensions \$100,000,000 instead of \$150,000,000.

On this amendment, however, the debate returned to points covered in the general debate, particularly as to the charge that the pension bureau had been used for political purposes.

Mr. Messrs. Lacey and Wilson had spoken, Mr. Henderson concluding with a sentence upon referring to the speech of Mr. Black. He said that gentleman had stood up here with a bouquet of rhetoric in one hand to attract the votes of the soldiers, while in his other hand he held a dagger to stab the drive to their hearts. What a contrast bore, said Mr. Henderson, to that other distinguished veteran, Gen. Sickles, of New York, who spoke for the old soldiers, and who, he suggested, stood discredited with the democratic party for that speech.

Mr. Pickler offered an amendment making the reports of the local examining board open to claimants and their attorneys, which was adopted.

Mr. Grow offered an amendment making the lowest pension rate for disability \$12. If the government was to do something for the old soldier, he said, it should do something substantial. Dollars and cents should not be weighed in the national scales against the heroic deeds and services of the defenders of their country. The magnitude of the struggle of 1861-65 and the magnanimity of the victors to the vanquished were the subject of an eloquent five-minute outburst by the ex-soldier.

It was his first speech since re-entering the house and he was listened to with close attention. His speech was full, round and impressive, and his stirring sentiments evoked a round of applause. The amendment, however, was obnoxious to the point of order, in that it changed existing law.

The committee then rose, and the bill was reported to the house and passed without division, and the house adjourned.

HOUSE.

Further News from the British Campaign in West Africa.

LONDON, March 5.—A dispatch received from Bathurst yesterday evening says that the West Indian troops have captured and burned Brikama as well as Bamji. The natives made a determined stand at Brikama and did not begin their retreat until some ninety had been killed and many others had been wounded.

Immediately after the flight of the natives the West Indians took possession of the town and burned it. At Bamji and Brikama together the natives lost about 150 killed and double that number wounded. The British gunboats bombarded Conjur for hours, and will resume the bombardment to-day, when the West Indians will make a general and probably decisive advance.

A WELL-KNOWN CITIZEN.

Arrested, Charged with Complicity in Counterfeiting.

MOORE'S HILL, Ind., March 5.—Matthew Whitford, a well-known citizen, formerly trustee of this township, was arrested here Tuesday, charged with complicity in counterfeiting and violation of the United States postal laws. Detectives searched an old house belonging to Whitford and found a smelting pot with some metal in it, a ladle, acids and a silver-plating machine.

It is suspected that Whitford was engaged in the work of counterfeiting with John E. Davis, who was arrested last week. The outfit has been sent to Indianapolis to be used for evidence in the trials of both Davis and Whitford. The latter will also be prosecuted for opening a letter addressed to Willet Fuller.

The Wife of Convict McKane Very Ill.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., March 5.—George N. McKane, son of John V. McKane, said to a reporter yesterday that his mother was in a very critical condition and that she does not yet know the fate of her husband. Her physician is afraid that if she should know that he is wearing the stripes of a convict in Sing Sing prison she would die of shock.

Voted Against an International Exposition.

ROME, March 5.—The chamber of deputies yesterday rejected a bill providing that an international exhibition be held in Rome in 1895.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Richard Dawson hanged himself at Pontiac, Mich.

—Thunder bay is entirely free of ice, and navigation to Alpena, Mich., is practically open—the earliest on record.

—The supreme court of Colorado yesterday refused rehearing in the cases of Thomas Jordan, William Nesbit and Santiago Gorres, under sentence of death for murder.

—The failure of Hunter, Clark & Jacob was yesterday announced on the New York stock exchange. The rise in American Sugar is supposed to have carried down the firm.

—Two hundred thousand dollars of the \$500,000 loan have not been taken up, the subscribers defaulting and failing to make the necessary deposit within the time named.

—Judge W. H. Mauley for forty-seven years prominent in northern Michigan, and known to nearly everybody in the state region, died at Cheboygan, yesterday morning, aged 55.

—Mr. Gladstone is confined to his bed. He became chilled by the raw winds Tuesday, and is suffering from a severe cold. He had a severe chill Tuesday night, but no fever to speak of.

—The manufacturers of slot machines in Indiana have decided to make a legal test of the effort to eradicate the devices on the ground that they come within the restrictions of the gambling laws.

—The treasury department has received on account of the bond issue \$8,261,512—\$38,235,000 in gold and \$19,830,000 in legal tenders—all but \$250,000 of the total principal and premium for which the bonds were sold.

—The Union League club of San Francisco, gave a reception Tuesday night at the Palace hotel to Gov. Levi K. Fuller of Vermont, Gen. Russell A. Alger, of Michigan, and ex-Senator Phillet Sawyer, of Wisconsin.

—It is understood that Rensselaer Stone, of Chicago, will be appointed assistant commissioner of internal revenue in the place of Mr. Wilson, the present incumbent, who holds over from the republican administration.

—Mrs. Margaret Glasen was suffocated by smoke from a blaze in the New York city tenement in which she lived. Her baby was found by her side unconscious, and sent to a hospital. Two children in an adjoining room escaped injury.

—Fire broke out in the boiler shed of the orphanage of the Good Shepherd at Louisville, Ky., at 1:40 a. m. yesterday. There were forty-two persons in the building adjoining, including thirty-four children. They were gotten out without accident.

—The barn on the farm of Charles Pierce, located near Oldwater, Mich., was destroyed by fire, yesterday, together with forty sheep and many horses and cattle. Miles Nixon the tenant on the farm, was burned to death while trying to save the stock.

—Dr. J. J. Leach, ex-manager of the Leek dental college at San Francisco, and Miss Alice Alderley, were found unconscious from poison in the doctor's room. They had been intimate for years. The woman died, but her guilty partner recovered.

—Senator Martin of Kansas, has introduced a general pension bill which increases the pension of every person now on the rolls at eight dollars a month on account of service in the Mexican war, including the widows of all soldiers who served in that war, to \$12 a month.

—Alderman Martin B. Lonsamey, of Boston, was shot in the leg at noon yesterday, just outside the aldermanic chamber in the city hall, by a crank named James Doonan, who fired five shots at the alderman from a 35-calibre revolver, only one of which, however, took effect.

—At 2 a. m. yesterday a freight train on the Wagon road near Kenwood, Pa., was struck by a locomotive and landed into the river. The engine turned over and rolled down an embankment twenty-five feet high. The engineer, fireman and a brakeman, who was on the engine were all badly injured.

A BRITISH SURVEYING PARTY.

In Southeast Africa Fired Upon by Portuguese Troops—The Fire Returned.

PORT NATAL, S. E. Africa, March 8.—The Portuguese have been obstructing the progress of the British parties engaged in constructing the telegraph line between the British sphere and Tete on the Zambezi.

Lieut. Com. George S. Q. Carr, in command of the steel stern-wheel gunboat Mosquito, sixty-two tons, landed a party of blue jackets from the river gunboat in order to protect the men at work upon the telegraph line. The Portuguese fired upon the British landing party and the fire was returned.

The latest advices from the scene of the encounter say that Gov. Quillman, the Portuguese boundaries commissioner, has been summoned to the port where the conflict took place, and he is said to be on his way there with two Portuguese gunboats and a number of troops. It is added that the British commander is believed to have asked for reinforcements, and the latter are said to have been hurried forward immediately upon receipt of the message announcing the conflict with the Portuguese.

All Quiet at Eagle, and the Backbones of the Riot Broken.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 8.—All is quiet at Eagle. The work of arresting strikers goes on. So far thirty-three have been placed in jail. There is some slight sickness in the camp caused by dysentery. The troops were furnished shoes yesterday. The backbone of the riot has been broken, and no further serious trouble is anticipated. Seven coal companies started to work yesterday.

Two Crushed and Scarcely Recognizable Bodies Recovered.

SCRANTON, Pa., March 8.—After great risks to themselves a gang of twelve rescuers combated the after-damp and heat of the explosion in the Richmond shaft Tuesday night. They recovered the crushed and scarcely recognizable bodies of James Northern and Albert Williams at midnight. Northern's body was almost cut in two. The four victims of the disaster will be buried to-day.

Killed and Injured by a Falling Building.

STONEHAM, Mass., March 8.—The new Durkee building, in process of construction on Main street, fell with a crash at 6 o'clock last evening, causing the death of Nathan Lord, 73 years of age, and injuring Willie Brooks, 12 years of age, and James Dunagan, 25 years old, and an unknown man.

Peace Reigns in Costa Rica.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Senator Peat, the Costa Rican minister to the United States, received a cablegram from Minister of Foreign Relations Jimenez at Costa Rica, saying that the revolutionary uprising in Costa Rica had been quelled, and the country was enjoying complete peace.

Stepping Backward.

MEXICO, via Laredo, Tex., March 8.—The city council has approved the project for the establishment of a new bull ring here.

Great March Sale!

—BY—

Chas. T. Johnston

DECATUR, ILL.

151 North Water St.

WE HAVE begun a series of LOW-PRICED SALES to continue this entire month. These sales will consist of closing out everything in the way of Heavy Winter Goods, such as Cloaks, Blankets, Comforts, Wool Underwear, Hosiery, Etc., giving the people a chance to obtain goods at Less than Value, and the

OPENING OF NEW SPRING GOODS

Which will be put on sale from day to day at very Low Prices. Kindly read our advertisements from day to day, and remember one thing, you will always find goods just as advertised.

Dry Goods.

SPECIAL LOW PRICES.

Best 8½ Apron Check Gingham at 4½ a yard.

Lot of Dark 10 and 12½ Gingham cut to 7½.

7½ Unbleached Muslin at 4½.

100 Bleached Muslin cut to 7½.

8½ Unbleached Muslin at 6½.

250 Fancy Bed Tick at 17½ a yard.

350 Curtains Dot Swiss cut to 23½.

250 Wide Sheeting cut to 18½.

22½ Wide Sheeting cut to 16½.

12½ Outing Flannel cut to 8½ a yard.

12½ Cheviot Shirting cut to 8½ a yard.

150 Check Linen Toweling cut to 11½.

250 Cream Towels cut to 13½.

500 Cream Damask cut to 39½.

Cambric Shirt Lining cut to 4½ a yard.

Dress Canvas, 20 and 250 goods, cut to 150.

Bed Spreads, \$1.50 and \$1.75 kind, cut to 95¢.

Bed Spreads, \$1.25 quality, cut to 95¢.

Embroidered White Flannel, \$1.25 quality, cut to 85¢.

Ladies' \$1.00 quality Wool Shirts cut to 69¢.

Saxony Yarn, 12½ Skeins cut to 9¢.

German Towels Yarn 8½ a ball.

Ice Wool, 250 boxes cut to 12½ a box—cream or black.

Indigo Blue Calico, best 70 kind on sale at 4½ a yard. (10 yards to a customer.)

Notions.

Costa's Best Spool Cotton at 3½ a spool.

100-yard Spool Silks at 50 a spool.

Darning Cotton, black or tan, 30 a ball.

Cabinet Burpins at 30 a cabinet.

Stick Pins, one lot 15 and 200 kind at 80.

Dress Shields, 20 kind at 90.

Shoe Dressing, big bottle, 150 kind at 90.

Dress Goods.

Our stock of Dress goods must be reduced this week.

\$1.00 quality of Henriettes, black and all colors, cut to 65¢.

Fine Broadcloth, value \$1.25 and \$1.50, suitable for Ladies' Jackets and Capes, cut to 95¢.

One lot Novelty Suitings that have sold at 60¢, 65¢ and 75¢, cut to 39¢.

New lot of light colored Check Hop Back Novelties, value 75¢, on sale at 45¢.

Carpet Sale.

We want to call your attention to our Carpet Department.

We will save you money on Carpets, Mattings, Rugs, Window Shades, Lace Curtains, or on Oil Cloths for floors.

Note the prices:

Best all wool Ingrains at 55¢, 65¢, 69¢ and 75¢.

Best Union Ingrains at 35¢, 45¢, 49¢.

Other Ingrains at 25¢, 29¢, 33¢, 39¢ a yard.

Home-Made Rag Carpets at 25¢, 30¢ and 35¢ a yard.

Mattings at 12½, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35 to 50¢.

Window Shades at 25, 35, 45, 60 to 75¢.

Chenille Portieres, \$7.50 quality cut to \$4.75.

Remember we keep Carpets.

Men's Goods.

Men's 70s Unlandried White Shirts cut to 48¢.

Heavy duck lined bottoms.

Men's 60s Unlandried White Shirts cut to 39¢.

Men's 50s Unlandried White Shirts cut to 39¢.

Men's 50s Silk End Suspenders cut to 25¢.

Boys' Waists.

One lot 25, 30, 35 and 40s goods, put on sale at 25¢ each.

Umbrella Sale.

We are overstocked on Gents' and Ladies fine quality Silk Umbrellas.

\$2.95 will buy choice of lot of Fine Umbrellas that have sold at \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.50 to \$5.00 each.

\$1.95 will buy choice of lot of Umbrellas that sold at \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3 and \$3.25.

\$1.99 will buy choice of lot of Umbrellas that have sold at \$1.75 and \$2.

Black Dress Silks.

Some extra value to reduce our stock this week.

\$1.75 and \$2 Silks (all weaves) cut to \$1.25.

\$1.25 Quality Silks cut to 95¢.

One lot Drapery Silks, \$1.00 quality cut to 50¢ a yard.

Shoes.

We are showing an extra good stock of Ladies' New Oxfords for spring wear at \$1, \$1.50, 1.75, 2.00 to 3.00 a pair.

See our Ladies' Dongola Button Shoes at \$1.50, 2.00, 2.50, and 3.00 a pair.

Children's School Shoes at 95¢, \$1.25, 1.50, and 1.45 a pair.

WALL PAPER, 1c and up.

Window Shades, 10c and up.

CASH OR EASY PAY

W. L. Johnston

\$3 SH

\$5, \$4 and \$3.50

\$2.50

THIS IS THE BEST \$3. SHOE IN THE

ch Sale!

Johnston

Water St.

PRICED SALES to continue consist of closing out every-ter Goods, such as Cloaks, ar, Hosiery, Etc., giving the less than Value, and the

SPRING GOODS

to day at very Low Prices. m day to day, and remember just as advertised.

oods. Cloak Sale.

must be- During the last week we have sold a great many good cloaks. The prices did the selling, as we are not selling for profit. We are selling to get the cloaks out regardless of value or cost.

Buy one even if you have to keep it till next winter.

\$10 will buy Fine Cloaks that have sold at \$15.50, \$16.50, \$17.50, to \$20. \$7.50 will buy Cloaks that have sold at \$11, \$12, \$12.50 to \$17.

We have some extra values to give in Fine Plush Cloaks at \$12.50, \$15, \$17.50, \$19.50 and \$22.50.

Children's Cloaks all go at about half price.

Just opened a new lot of Ladies' Spring Weight Capes at \$1.50 and \$2 each.

Underwear and Hosiery Sale.

Ladies' or Gents' All Wool Scarlet Shirts or Drawers that sold at \$1.25, cut to 69c.

One Lot Ladies' Natural Wool Shirts or Drawers, worth 75c to \$1.00, cut to 58c each garment.

New Lot of Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests for Spring Use 25c quality, on sale at 19c this week.

Ladies' 15c Quality Fast Black Hose at 10c.

Ladies' 15c Quality Grey Mixed Hose at 10c.

Ladies' Wool Homery 35c quality at 19c.

Children's 15c Quality Ribbed Hose cut to 10c.

Children's 25c Quality Ribbed Hose cut to 15c.

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Children's School Shoes at 98c, \$1.25, 1.50, and 1.48 a pair.

Johnston

Water St.



G. W. SCOVILL, 211, 213 and 215, South Side City Park.

CASH OR EASY PAYMENTS

W. L. DOUGLAS
\$3 SHOE GENUINE WELT.
Squeakless, Bottom Waterproof, Best Shoe sold at the price.
\$5, \$4 and \$3.50 Dress Shoes.
\$3.50 Police Shoes, 3 Soles.
\$2.50, and \$2 Shoes.
Boys \$2 & \$1.75 School Shoes.
LADIES' \$3, \$2.50 \$2, \$1.75
Best Douglas, Stylish, Perfect fitting and serviceable, Best in the world. All styles. Insist upon having W. L. Douglas Shoes. Name and price stamped on bottom. Brockton Mass.

THIS IS THE BEST \$3. SHOE IN THE WORLD.
ALL THE LATEST STYLES.

DEALERS who push the sale of W. L. Douglas Shoes gain customers, which helps to increase the sales on their full line of goods. They can afford to sell at a less profit, and we believe you can save money by buying all your footwear at the dealer advertised below. Catalogue free upon application.

For Sale by H. W. WAGGONER & CO.

AMERICA
This is the land that Columbus found
After he thought that the world was round.

CHICAGO
This is the city of wondrous fame
That has grown so great since Columbus came.

N. K. FAIRBANK & CO.
This is the firm that is making the soap
That will clean up the land of Christopher's hope.

SANTA CLAUS SOAP
This is the soap housekeepers demand,
The most satisfactory soap in the land.
Made by this firm, in this city that lies
In this land, by the lake, and—up in the skies.

30 DAY SALE

At ABEL'S.

Wall Paper, 1c and up.
Window Shades, 10c and up.
Carpets, 15c and up.
Mattings, 12c up.
Curtains, 35c and up.
RUGS and OILCLOTHS, RUGS and MATS, all go regardless of value.

J. B. BULLARD, FUNERAL DIRECTOR.



AFTER FOUR MONTHS,

The Longest Trial in American Criminal Jurisprudence.

THE CASE OF DETECTIVE COUGHLIN,

The Trial of Which Has Cost the State One Hundred Thousand Dollars, Goes to the Jury—Closing Speech.

CHICAGO, March 8.—After a trial occupying four months, making the longest criminal case in the criminal annals of America, and with one exception in the world, and involving an expenditure of \$100,000, the case of the people of Illinois against Daniel Coughlin and others, charged with the murder of Dr. P. H. Cronin, was for the second time submitted for a verdict of twelve men yesterday afternoon. Only Judge Tuthill's instructions remain to be delivered.

Prosecutor Bottom concluded his address at 4:30 o'clock, and on account of the hour the court deferred the reading of the charge until morning. A long retirement of the jury is expected by everybody. It may be a day and it may be a week, and the general sentiment is that the jury will disagree.

Hundreds more people than could be accommodated with the standing room sought admission to the court room at both sessions to hear Mr. Bottom's closing argument. There were no pretensions to order among the immense mass of humanity in the court room. The slightest support was seized upon by the women as eagerly as the men, but the great majority rested one against the other. The address as a whole was a masterpiece of argument, logic and eloquence, an appeal for justice untimely with mercy because the assassin of Dr. Cronin had no thought of mercy at the Carlson cottage.

In presenting the white horse circumstance strongly to the jury Mr. Bottom said "You will remember Smith grumbled when Dunan told him he could have the white horse or none at all. He did not want a horse as white as innocence because his purpose was not as white as innocence. When Capt. Schaeck listened to Michael Whalen and Daniel Coughlin, the detectives, his heart ran away with his head." He eulogized John Devoy as an Irish patriot and friend of justice, and bitterly upbraided Andrew Foy for sitting in the court room day after day and listening to stories that his wife was crazy and a blackmailer. Her devotion showed wisely, motherly devotion and not hate.

THE TROY TRAGEDY.

William Ross Not Believed to be Fatally Injured—The Indicted and the Missing.

Troy, N. Y., March 7.—It is learned that John McGough, one of the men who did the shooting in yesterday's tragedy at the election polls in the third district of the Thirteenth ward, was seriously wounded in the hip, although he escaped after the shooting of Robert and William Ross. The police know, but will not divulge, the location of McGough, but it is intimated that his wounds may prove fatal.

"Bat" Shea, who, it is alleged, murdered Robert Ross, is in jail. The pistol wound he received in the head during the melee was not serious. Three hours after he was shot he returned to the polling place, where the tragedy occurred.

The condition of Wm. Ross, who was shot in the head, is said to be improved, and it is not believed fatal complications in his case will ensue. Jerry Cleary, who was one of the trio that opened fire on the crowd at the polling place, disappeared at the time and has not since been seen.

John H. Boland, who surrendered himself to the police yesterday when it was learned that the police were looking for him in connection with the shooting, was in the police court this morning. Magistrate Donohue stated that as the coroner's jury had the investigation in hand he would adjourn all proceedings in the police court until after the coroner's jury had returned a verdict, and Mr. Boland was remanded to jail until Tuesday of next week.

Counsel for "Bat" Shea stated that Shea was so badly injured from a bullet wound received in the fight that he could not be removed from the jail, and his case was also adjourned until after the coroner's jury shall pass upon the matter.

After the hearing Chief Detective Markham swore out a warrant charging Shea and Boland with murder in the first degree.

Prominent citizens have called a public meeting for to-morrow night to express indignation at the murder of Robert Ross.

Run Down by a Train and Fatally Injured.

New York, March 8.—At 9 o'clock yesterday morning train No. 7, known as the "Owl," east-bound, on the Pennsylvania railroad, when near Elizabeth, struck a party of men who had been put off a freight train. The men were thrown in all directions. When the crowd made a search one was found with a crushed head and both legs cut off. He was taken to the hospital in Elizabeth, where he died an hour later. Another victim was found between the tracks terribly injured. He was taken to the hospital where he will probably die. The men are unknown and were evidently in search of work.

An Ex-Convict Murders His Wife.

COLUMBUS, O., March 8.—George Fitzsimmons, an ex-convict, living at Leonard avenue and Twenty-first street, stabbed his wife with a butcher knife last night, killing her instantly.

Will Ride Wages or Close Down.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., March 8.—Crawford & Co., of this city, who own large rolling mills employing over 300 men in each mill when in full operation, have announced a cut of 10 per cent in wages for heaters and finishers in one of the mills, to take effect Monday morning. If not accepted the company intends to close down its mill. The men have not met yet to take action on the proposed cut, but it is probable they will accept the reduction. Heretofore the company has paid the union scale of wages.

The Body of a Suicide Recovered.

DETROIT, Mich., March 8.—The body of F. Swan, a local insurance agent in the city, was found floating in the river late yesterday afternoon. His overcoat and hat were found on a dock near by, and it is supposed he committed suicide from despondency.

Serious Charge Against a Physician.

COLUMBUS, O., March 8.—Dr. James A. Park, assistant physician at the state prison, was arrested at noon yesterday, by Detective Schlesinger, for stealing a \$900 diamond pin from the bosom of the corpse of Henry Chute, a New York traveling man, who dropped dead here a week ago.

Yellow Fever at Rio.

LONDON, March 8.—Capt John Pison, senior officer of the British fleet at Rio Janeiro, cabled to the government yesterday that yellow fever is spreading in the city. He recommends that all vessels be withdrawn from the entire harbor and the port closed.

Increase in England's Foreign Trade.

LONDON, March 8.—The returns issued by the board of trade for February show that during the month the imports increased \$4,320,000 and the exports increased \$590,000 as compared with those of the corresponding month last year.

Ex-Senator White's Successor Appointed.

NEW ORLEANS, March 8.—Congressman M. C. Blanchard was yesterday appointed United States senator by Gov. Foster, to fill the unexpired term of Senator White until the legislature meets in May this year.

Doing Well and Will Recover.

COLUMBUS, O., March 8.—All the injured of Tuesday night's wreck on the Pennsylvania railroad at Reed avenue are doing well, and all will probably recover. The only one who is in doubt is James McCormick, the fireman.

Ex-Editor Stead Sails for England.

NEW YORK, March 8.—Wm. T. Stead, the former editor of the Pall Mall Gazette, who caused so much agitation in Chicago by his recent criticisms, sailed for England yesterday on the steamer New York.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CURET & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transaction and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm. West & Taux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

WALDING, KIRKMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials given.

In Switzerland girls on arriving at the age of 18 are regularly employed as porters, and during the season in that country may be seen daily carrying the baggage of travelers up and down the steep mountain paths.

A Leader.

Since its first introduction, Electric Bitters has gained rapidly in popular favor, until now it is clearly in the lead among pure medicinal tonics and alteratives—containing nothing which permits its use as a beverage or intoxicant, it is recognized as the best and purest medicine for all ailments of Stomach, Liver or Kidneys.—It will cure thick head, indigestion, Constipation, and drive Malaria from the system. Satisfaction guaranteed with each bottle or the money will be refunded. Price only 50c per bottle. Sold by King & Wood druggists.

A Boston man who acquired and kept riches says that one of his rules of life has been never to lend money on personal promises to pay that he was not willing to give away and able to lose.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever, sore, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood, druggist.

Divorce in France is regulated by law on the theory that a wife is her husband's equal; she does not promise to obey; she retains her own property and may dispose of it at will.

"Any Port in a Storm."

but in a moment of calm reasoning try "Royal Ruby Port Wine." It is the purest and best wine of its class. Good body, excellent flavor and great strength. Economical too, for medicinal and family use. Let it convince you. It is sold in bottles, \$1.00, pints 60 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Spencer. Bottled by Royal Wine Co., Chicago.

For dogs across the Atlantic are now dyed to harmonize with the prevailing tint of their own "case" bonnet. Two shades of violet form the most popular coloring for white dogs.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cleanses, purifies and heals. It was made for this purpose. Use it for burns, cuts, bruises, chapped hands, sores of all descriptions, and if you have piles use it for them. O. H. Dawson

Savvy new poeasges were created last year, and not one became extinct. The poetical government that the British reformer has in mind does not appear to be making much headway.

A one of Pasha's Tea at night moves the bowels in the morning without pain or discomfort. Sold by W. F. Reiser.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

We will open our New Shoe Store, at 150 Merchant Street, this week, and will exhibit the most stylish and handsome stock of Spring Shoes and Slippers offered to the people of Decatur. Our goods will all be new and the very latest.

Wait until we open.

JOHN P. PHILPOTT,

150 Merchant Street.

NOT SO LONG

As it Was,
IT IS LONG ENOUGH YET.

—TO FIND—

ALL YOU WANT

IN OUR LINE OF
Hard or Soft Coal,
Cooking or Heating

STOVES.

LYTLE & ECKELS HARDWARE CO.

For Breakfast,
For Dinner,
For Supper,

•THE FLOUR•
That Always
Makes the Most
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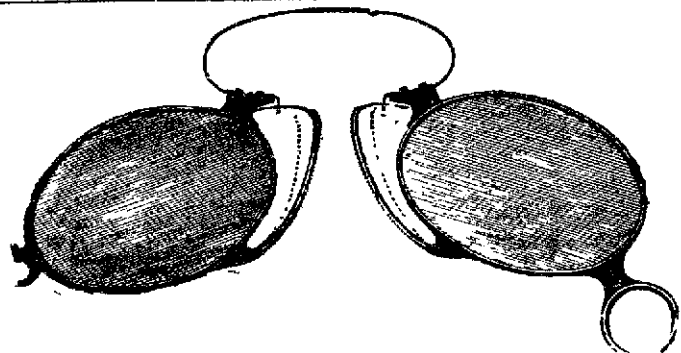
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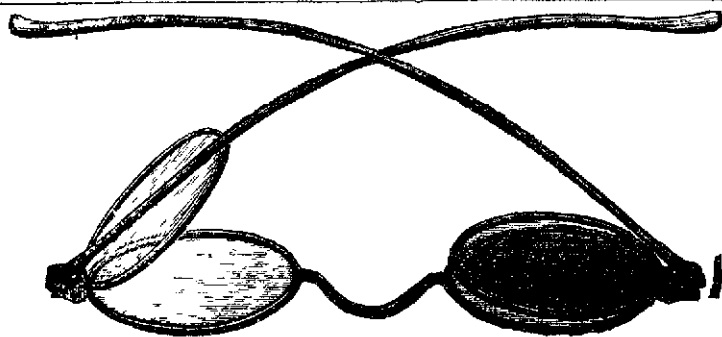
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When you need Spectacles you will find we can fit you more ACCURATELY and for less money than the SELF-STYLED OPTICIANS (Peddlers) who go about the country. We GUARANTEE a perfect fit, and keep everything in stock in the way of Frames. We also make to order in our own shop Gold Frames to fit unusual faces.

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We are now able to show the ladies some of the Newest Spring Styles in Shoes and Slippers. We have some very handsome Ladies' Congress Shoes with large buttons, square or razor toes. These are positively the newest thing in the market. In Ladies' Tan Oxfords we have all the different shades. LADIES' JULIETS, and in fact everything new.

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THURSDAY EVE., MARCH 8, 1894.

CITY NEWS.

10 Cents.

For the above price you can buy a beautiful line of pin trays or burnt match receivers in beautiful decorations. Only a limited quantity left at this price.

J. W. RACE, Assignee.

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CHOCOLATE Ice Cream Soda at Irwin's. SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25dt

DR. CHAPMAN will preach again to night at the Grand.

SEE the new style H. & D. Hats at Geo. W. Jones & Co's. mar3-dit

DELICIOUS Ice Cream Soda with pure fruit juices at Irwin's.

IRON Phosphate the great nerve tonic drink at Irwin's fountain.

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STETSON spring styles of stiff Hats now on sale at Race's. d&w

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dt

FINEST and latest styles H. & D. Hats, the correct styles, at Geo. W. Jones & Co's. mar3-dit

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CALDWELL'S Syrup Pepsin for constipation and sick headache—10 doses 10 cents. jan4-dit

THE Republican primaries will be held a week from to-night, in the fourteen districts.

PART IV., "Photographic Tour of the World," now ready for distribution at this office.

You will like those Little Rose and Bouquet cigars made by Joseph Michl. Try them.

JUST RECEIVED—40,000 rolls of new wall paper, spring designs.

LYNN & SCRUGGS
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MISS WILDER announces that she will receive a limited number of pupils in china decorating, miniature and water color painting.

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ALL of the boxes were occupied at the Grand last night, and everybody lingered to hear all that Dr. Chapman had to say. CALL AND GET PART IV.

READ change in Race Clothing Manufacturing Co's adv regarding Spring Styles in piece goods and Hats. d&w

JUST RECEIVED—40,000 rolls of new wall paper, spring designs.

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THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Call upon the manager, L. Chodat and learn how. dec18dt

ALL the latest sheet music and the standard Haines Upright pianos and parlor organs are on sale at the G. B. Prescott music house. Step in and make your selections.

ON Saturday W. B. Kennan, representing the Overman Wheel Company, will be at the store of the Lytle & Eckels hardware company to show the beauties and good qualities of the Victor bicycles.

FRED BRINKMEYER has become a resident of the Walnut Grove addition. Fred says that when the roads are good he can leave his home on his bicycle and reach Lincoln Square inside of ten minutes.

JUDGE VAIL will not adjourn court for the term on Saturday. He will take a recess of two weeks in order that some unfinished cases may be closed up. He will do this at the request of parties and attorneys interested.

PEOPLE with delicate stomachs find Ayer's Sarsaparilla agreeable to the taste, and, therefore, prefer it as a blood-purifier to any other. This is one reason for its great popularity as a spring and family medicine. Safe, certain and palatable.

NUMEROUS inquiries are being received from parties in this and other towns in regard to seats for Richard Mansfield who appears here Monday evening, March 19, in his famous play "Beau Brummell." These inquiries indicate that our citizens are alive to the importance of the engagement and that the visit of this great actor to this city is fully appreciated.

HAROLD SNYDER gave a progressive whet party last evening at his home on East North street in honor of Miss Gay Brown, of Peoria, who is visiting in the city. Delicious refreshments were served. The company included Misses Jennie Leiby, Lillian Stevens, Mame Sweeney, Maud McDonald, Grace Boyer, Fannie

Radcliff, Jane McCalland, Gay Brown of Peoria, Stella and Laura Jenkins, and Cass Nicholson, Wis Bramble, Richard McMaisters, Harry Williams, Tom Ryan, Harry Williams, Harry Metz, Frank Westenberg, Harvey Boyer, Lynn Radcliff, John Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Will Leiby and Master Herbert Anderson.

THE funeral of the late Mrs. Matilda J. Skinner took place this afternoon at 1 o'clock from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. D. T. Park, 905 North Edward street. The services were largely attended, and were conducted by Rev. T. D. Weems and Rev. D. F. Howe. The body was taken to Mt. Pleasant this evening for interment.

IN response to the wishes of numerous patrons, I have made arrangements to furnish again the \$2 cabinet photo, as I did two years ago. This has always been a popular picture and as now made it is better than ever. Higher priced styles made as usual. G. A. Henderson, Proprietor East End Gallery, 1079 E. Eldorado street. mob8-d2w

THE Wabash this year will expend considerable money in replacing old bridges with new iron structures. The contract has already been let for a new iron bridge over Eel river to take the place of the wooden bridge, which has stood there since 1872.

THE attorney general yesterday rendered an opinion that a minister of the gospel residing in another state may legally celebrate the marriage ceremony in this state, provided he complies with the law relative to making the return.

MARRIAGE licenses have been granted to Ernest Potrafk and Miss Annie Reylard, both of Tolono, and to Joseph M. Perkins and Miss Mattie E. Foster, both of Decatur.

POTTER PALMER, the millionaire hotel keeper, Chicago, is seriously ill with the grip. Mr. Palmer is nearly 70 years old, and fears are felt that he may not recover.

THE marriage of Miss Mattie Foster, sister of L. E. Foster, and Joseph Perkins, of the Decatur tank line office, will be solemnized this evening.

W. J. MAGEE expects to build a frame store building at 1673 North Water. It will have two business rooms, one for a grocery, the other for a meat market.

JUDGES VAIL did not do any business in the circuit court to-day. An adjournment was taken until Friday morning, when several cases will come up.

For a good meal or lunch go to the Singleton Restaurant. mar8-dlm

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. I. A. Buckingham is very sick. M. Maxon was in Springfield to-day on business.

F. R. Shull has gone to Owensboro, Ky., on a visit.

Mrs. H. T. Wencke is visiting relatives in Indiana.

F. D. Caldwell has returned from Hot Springs, Ark.

G. A. Ahrens is in Tuscola and Arcola to-day on business.

W. T. Downing is in Danville to-day on business.

Mrs. E. B. Hillman left yesterday for her home in Peoria.

Mrs. Mel Holmes is entertaining Mrs. James Cole, of Monticello.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Battles left yesterday for California.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Pollock have returned from Peru, Ind.

E. W. Hill and Geo. Watt are in Quincy on business.

Mrs. H. W. Waggoner is confined to her home by sickness.

Mrs. Frank W. Caldwell left to-day for Monticello to visit relatives.

Mrs. A. Wolfe, of Penfield, is the guest of F. O. Damrow and family.

Frank S. Dodd will leave to-night for Chicago to purchase a stock of "Kenwood."

Horace Davenport, who has been in Ohio for the past two months, has returned to the city.

Miss Gillett, after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Will Barnes, returned yesterday to her home in Elkhart.

H. R. Perkins, of Elkton, Ky., arrived in the city to-day to attend the Perkins-Foster nuptials this evening.

Miss Julia Hawes succeeds Miss Mattie E. Foster as stenographer and typewriter for the Standard Oil company.

T. J. McReynolds and family left yesterday for their home in Allenville, Ky., after a visit with Mr. McReynolds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. McReynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. George Leiby left last night for Kansas City in response to a telegram announcing the dangerous illness of Mrs. Leiby's sister, Mrs. John Jenkins.

Michael Arnold, of Marion county, Ind., 14 years ago a resident of Macon county, arrived in Decatur to-day. He will visit relatives at Cerro Gordo and at Lintner.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Garrett, Mrs. L. M. Lee and Mrs. Geo. Bell arrived home yesterday morning from Tuscola, where they attended the Douglas county reunion of Odd Fellows. There were 300 persons present and the affair was a great success.

Equal Suffrage Meeting.
At the residence of Mrs. L. Holmes McIntosh in the new Wingate block, second floor, on North Water street, from 2:30 to 3:30 o'clock, in order to allow those who may so desire to attend the union meeting at the opera house. It is expected that delegates to the state convention will give their report.

More Ranges
Arrived this morning, and now we can furnish 14 sizes and styles, from \$25 to \$45. All of them absolutely first quality. No rough work and not "thrown together." See them at
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THE MAGIC "MAJESTIC."

Many Samples of the Famous Steel Ranges \$30 to \$90 in Price.

Hundreds of Ladies Attend the Reception at Morehouse, Wells & Co's Hardware Store.

A perfect stove or steel range in the kitchen of a well-ordered home is a joy forever. Science has accomplished wonders, and the practical results of inventive genius confront us on every hand, something new and unheard of coming up every few months to attract attention and to command the approval and envy of the people.

The latest triumph in stove making is the celebrated Majestic Range, built by the Majestic Manufacturing company of St. Louis, whose representatives are now in Decatur giving a wide-open exhibition of the merits of the new cooking wonder in connection with the all-day receptions at the hardware store of Morehouse, Wells & Co's, where hundreds of ladies and gentlemen have called, and have been cordially welcomed and served with perfectly baked biscuits and delicious coffee, syrup and butter.

Considerable space on the first and second floors of the store is set apart for the exhibit, which embraces twenty-one of the latest improved Majestic, ranging in price from \$30 to \$90. Mr. Collins, the company's representative, ably and courteously presents the advantages of the new range over common stoves and other steel ranges, and his explanations and arguments do not fail in any instance to bring conviction to all who will closely examine the Majestic. The ladies are the best judges of the value of a perfect range. They are quick to note the good points of a range or any other necessary article of daily use in the kitchen, and it is the verdict of all the ladies who have examined the Majestic that it is the king stove of the age—simply perfect. It is compactly built, made of steel, with improved fire-box, a reversible grate for soft coal or wood, scientifically constructed for the consumption of all the fuel, leaving no clinkers whatever; it has a model oven, which will bake and nicely brown a pan of biscuits in three minutes' time, all the moisture in the bread being retained; and then there is a hot water tank, a patent sink-pan and handy stove shelves, with many other excellent points, which must be seen to be appreciated.

One of the ranges is in position on the second floor of the store in charge of a lady cook and daily there is a demonstration of the advantages of the Majestic Steel Range over all others in the market. A popular feature of the Majestic reception is the serving of coffee, biscuits, syrup and butter in a nicely carpeted room on the second floor of the store, with young ladies in attendance to wait upon the guests. The room is brightly illuminated by electricity, and the members of the hardware firm and the Majestic representatives gladly welcome and entertain all who call. The reception will continue indefinitely. Everybody is invited to call at the store without delay and see the Majestic.

A Great Revival.
Owing to the depression in the woolen market, we have procured from a leading importer a line of very desirable spring suitings for business at a price which enables us to offer for one week only at the very low prices of \$20, \$22, \$25 and up. These goods will not last long at the prices. Call at once and make your selection and inspect our large stock of spring goods which are now in and embrace everything that is new and stylish and at prices to suit the times. At

WARREN & MONTGOMERY,
139 East Main St., Exclusive Merchant
mar8-d33 Tailors.

The Tide of Improvement.

Ahrens & Damrow, proprietors of the well known Kany bottling works plant, are making improvements to their already large works to the amount of \$3,000. The improvement is mainly in the shape of new bottles of a pattern made expressly for their trade, for which they will use the Baltimore seal stopper. To open a bottle of ginger ale with this stopper a cork-screw is not required, only a small pin or metal, which the firm donates to their customers.

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Library Lamps at \$4.00, Former price, \$8.00.

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Library Lamps at \$3.50, Former price, \$7.50.

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Library Lamps at \$3.00, Former price, \$6.00.

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Library Lamps at \$2.50, Former price, \$5.00.

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J. W. RACE,
Assignee

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